

PERSHING IS WARNED NOT TO SEND OUT HIS TROOPERS

General Trevino, Under Instructions of Government Declares Any Move Not Toward Border Will Be An 'Unfriendly Act'

WOULD BE SIGNAL FOR WAR HE TELLS U. S. COMMANDER

Threat Confirmed At Washington, But Is Not Believed That It Will Affect Course of Administration In Mexican Crisis

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
WASHINGTON, June 17.—General Trevino, the de facto government's commander of the armies in northern Mexico, and stationed at Chihuahua, has issued a warning to General Pershing, commanding the American troops south of the border, that if he makes a move in any other direction but toward the border, it will be considered an "unfriendly act," and become the signal for immediate declaration of war by the Carranza government.

Threat Report Confirmed
Word of this threat having been received by the American commander, reached here yesterday afternoon, and for a time was disbelieved. Subsequently confirmation of its authenticity was received by the state and war departments.

General Trevino is said to be acting upon the direct instructions of his chief, General Carranza, who forwarded the specific orders some days ago. Pershing Keeps Silent

The threat was conveyed to General Pershing at his headquarters at Corona Dublan, but he has made no reply, nor has he communicated with the war department as yet, regarding it. It is regarded as extremely unlikely that the administration will allow the threat to make any change in its plans for handling the Mexican situation, particularly in view of the support given the Mexican policy of Mr. Wilson at the closing session of the Democratic national convention yesterday.

Pershing's Order Liberal
General Pershing's orders authorize him to make any move that may seem necessary to him to carry out his instructions, and it is regarded as quite possible that he may find it necessary to send out expeditionary parties after bands of outlaws.

This would of itself prove whether the Carranza message is a threat or a bluff. In his communication to General Pershing, General Trevino said that no "movements of American troops south, east or west," would be permitted, and that if "any are undertaken or ordered, it will be regarded as an unfriendly act, and the signal for the commencement of war by the de facto government of Mexico."

Officials Scout Danger
In spite of the language used, the war department authorities last night were inclined to think that the expedition is not in any danger. They declined to discuss their reasons for this belief, or indeed to talk about Trevino's threat.

Despatches from San Antonio late last night declared that General Funston, commanding the troops along the border, has not

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR HOLDING CONCLAVE

Order Will Celebrate Centennial During Great Encampment At Los Angeles

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
LOS ANGELES, June 17.—Delegates from practically every commandery in the United States were here last night to attend the thirty-third triennial convocation and grand encampment of the Knights Templar of America, which opens to night and continues until Saturday. Delegates from Alaska, Honolulu and the Philippines, representatives of the grand priories of Canada and Ireland and a Masonic delegation from Mexico were expected.

The centennial anniversary of the order also will be celebrated at this year's meeting. The convention will be opened to night with a formal reception to Sir Lee S. Smith, of Pittsburgh acting grand master, who will be received by the grand commander of California, and escorted to his headquarters between two solid lines of air knights in full regalia. The executive sessions of the grand encampment will be held in the Scottish Rite Cathedral, beginning next Tuesday.

A dramatic pageant, "The Flight of the Hoar," a farce and allegorical parade, a "wild west" exhibition and an athletic carnival will be features of the entertainment program. In addition there will be held the impressive Knight Templar parade, and competitive drills for prizes valued at \$12,500.

The drills and massed band concerts will be held in a large amphitheater near the business section of town, which was erected for the convocation. The parades also will pass through the enclosure, around which have been constructed railway tracks for the electrical float. Four large scintillators will throw many colored lights upon the passing night pageant.

COLONEL'S TROUBLE LOCAL, SAYS MEDICO

Examination Shows Broken Tendon Is Cause of It

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
NEW YORK, June 16.—Colonel Roosevelt is suffering from severe attacks of coughing and was visited at his hotel this morning by his physician. The physician took him to his office for an examination. The colonel walked the two blocks to his office but appeared fatigued and worn.

The physician, Arthur Dunkel, says that the trouble is local, due to the breaking of tendons of a left rib while coughing.

FAY WRITES WILSON ASKING DEPORTATION

Bomb Plotter Wants To Be Sent To Germany

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
NEW YORK, June 17.—Robert Fay, former lieutenant in the German army, and now a convict sentenced to serve eight years in the Federal prison at Atlanta, has written to President Wilson, asking him to commute the sentence imposed by Judge Howe in the local Federal court, to deportation from the United States to Germany.

"If my life is to be wasted I might as well waste it for my country," said Fay in his letter. Mr. Wilson, "I would like to be of some use to some one before I die," he added.

Fay was convicted of conspiring to destroy munition ships of the allies, through the use of infernal machines and bombs. His brother-in-law Walter Schultz and Paul Baechle, were convicted under the same charge and sentenced to four and seven years in the Federal prison respectively.

Three other Germans and German-Americans are still to be tried in connection with these charges. Dr. Herbert Kienle, Engelbert Bronkhorst and Max Breiting.

MAJOR GRAY CROSSES LINE IN PURSUIT OF BANDITS

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
SAN ANTONIO, June 17.—Major Gray, of the Thirtieth Cavalry, led a small detachment of his cavalrymen across the border line yesterday in pursuit of the bandits who attacked his camp near San Ignacio Thursday, killing three of the troopers.

Reports having found another body of a Mexican evading the number of the band, bringing the number killed by the Americans in the fight to nine.

The war department announced last night that two additional companies of coast artillery have been ordered to the border for duty from Newport, Rhode Island. They will proceed at once to Eagle Pass for patrol duty.

BOUDBONS PLEDGE MORE 'HOME RULE' FOR THESE ISLES

Democratic Platform Includes Suffrage Plank That Makes Political Amazons Indignant

DOCTRINE OF MONROE RECEIVES ENDORSEMENT

Philippine Policy of 'Scuttle' and Greater Army and Navy Are Affirmed

Among the other planks incorporated in the Democratic platform adopted by the national convention of that party in St. Louis yesterday are the following:
A suffrage plank, over which the only fight of the session took place. A plank endorsing the President's policy of withdrawal from the Philippines.
A plank providing greater "home rule" for Hawaii, the Philippines and other territories and possessions.
A plank reasserting the principle of the Monroe Doctrine.
A plank favoring an army and navy "adequate to protect the nation's rights."
A plank promising the enforcement of the Seamen's Act.

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
ST. LOUIS, June 17.—Adopting a platform that demands more home rule for Hawaii and the Philippines, and other territories and possessions of the United States, and included a suffrage plank which has apparently aroused the wrath of the suffrage leaders here, the Democratic national convention adjourned sine die at eleven minutes after three o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The suffrage plank, which caused the only fight of the convention, apparently is going to cause others before long. The leaders of the women's party and the national suffrage association have issued statements denouncing it as inadequate to meet the requirements of the situation. They asserted that they will immediately resume their fight in congress for national recognition.

Passed by Acclamation
The suffrage and the "Americanism" plank were adopted by acclamation, after a rousing session. The struggle over the suffrage question was the first sign of lack of harmony in the convention.

Governor Ferguson of Texas presented a minority report of the platform committee against the plank. It appeared that this report had a chance of adoption until Walsh announced that the President considered that the plank was necessary to the success of the party this fall. Disorder followed, finally resulting in a roll call, which showed 1814 votes for the plank, and 8842 against. Hawaii's six delegates voted against the minority report.

The platform was adopted. The platform committee adopted challenges other parties to compare records with the Democrats, and to believe in a tariff for revenue only, facing the shipping bill to build up the merchant marine, stands for peace, for non-interference with the affairs of other nations for strict neutrality and "Americanism."

Senator W. J. Stone of Missouri, chairman of the platform committee, presented the document to the convention. It favors granting to Hawaii, Alaska and Porto Rico the "traditional territorial government" accorded to all territories since the beginning of government.

"We believe," it says, "that the officials appointed to administer the government of these territories should be qualified by previous bona fide residence." It will enforce the Seamen's Act. The platform promises that the Democratic party will continue the enforcement of the Seamen's Act, and indorses self government for the Philippines. It recommends the extension of the voting franchise to women by the states, on the same terms as given to men.

One important plank, that with a reference to Mexico, says that the Monroe doctrine is reasserted as a principle of Democratic faith, and that until the restoration of law and order, it is necessary for the troops to remain beyond the border.

Intervention Revolving
"Intervention is revolting to the people of the United States," says the plank, "and should be resorted to, if at all, only as a last resort."

The plank on "Americanism" says that this is a day of test, and that America must show itself not a nation of partisans but a nation of patriots.

NAVY PAY OFFICE IS TO BE MOVED TO PEARL HARBOR

Admiral Boush Makes Announcement On Protest Made By Chamber of Commerce

RAYMOND C. BROWN WILL FIGHT TO KEEP IT HERE

Wireless Station Also Will Be Shifted To Big Station, July First

Honolulu will lose the U. S. naval pay office, which has been located in the local navy yard. An order transferring the paymaster's department from its present location to Pearl Harbor July 1, was made public by Rear Admiral Clifford J. Boush yesterday afternoon.

The question of the removal of the naval station arose recently and met with immediate opposition by the Chamber of Commerce. Raymond C. Brown, the secretary of the chamber, protested against the proposed move to Admiral Boush. The commandant of the naval station promised to take the matter under advisement before acting.

After a full investigation of the matter, the Admiral decided that under the policy of the navy department, it would be advisable to concentrate all the officers and departments at the naval base. His suggestion evidently has been accepted by the navy department.

In addition to the removal of the paymaster's department, the Honolulu wireless station will be moved to Pearl Harbor in the near future," said Admiral Boush yesterday afternoon. "The instruments will be taken to the base, but the receiving and sending apparatus, will remain in Honolulu. The station will have smaller force and will act as a radio relay station."

Mr. Brown announced last night that he had already taken the matter up with the authorities in Washington. "I wired to the national capital as soon as I learned of the decision of Admiral Boush," he said, "and I intend to use what influence I can secure to have the station here in the city. Its removal to Pearl Harbor would undoubtedly prove a hardship upon our local merchants."

BUYING MAIL SHIPS WAS BAD BUSINESS

International Gets Manchuria and Mongolia For \$1,000,000, Besides Freight Receipts

When the Pacific Mail sold the steamships China, Korea, Siberia, Manchuria and Mongolia to the Atlantic Transport company, the International Mercantile Marine last year for \$2,250,000, it was stated in The Advertiser that the price was ridiculously low. This statement was disputed voluminously by an afternoon paper. It is of interest, therefore, to publish the following from the Wall Street Journal.

From a study of these figures it will be easy to ascertain whether the statement of The Advertiser last year was well founded. Franklin Did It
In connection with the International Mercantile Marine's transaction in vessels by which it acquired ships from the Pacific Mail and has resold two of them to Japanese interests, it is interesting to record that it was through the good judgment of the Vice-President Franklin, operating receiver for the company, that these ships were acquired in the first instance," said the Journal.

"There was no enthusiasm elsewhere among the Mercantile Marine interests to spend \$2,250,000 for five Pacific Mail ships at an average figure of \$450 a ton. But Mr. Franklin through his own personal efforts had the transaction pushed through. The fifth and smallest vessel was quickly resold so that in reality the Mercantile Marine purchased four ships at a cost of \$5,000,000. It has been stated in these columns that these four ships could readily be disposed of by the company for \$5,000,000 or more should it so desire. This is more than borne out by the sale of the two smaller of the four for \$4,000,000. On the basis of this sale, the two remaining ships acquired from the Pacific Mail would bring something like \$6,000,000 to the Mercantile Marine company."

"As speculation in bottoms, the purchase of the Pacific Mail boats and the resale last week of two of them has been remarkably successful, since it gives the company two large vessels at a cost of \$1,000,000, and a similar sum has been already added to the company's net since acquisition of the four vessels last fall. In addition it is not improbable that the two vessels sold will add \$100,000 to earnings before they leave the control of the present holders. Receipt of the purchase price for the ships will bring the company's cash account higher by \$4,000,000. The cash holdings already exceed \$60,000,000, probably sixty-six per cent of which is in Great Britain."

CHICAGO NINE BEATS WASEDA

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
CHICAGO, June 24.—University of Chicago defeated Waseda University at baseball yesterday, by the score of 9 to 2.

DEFICIT MENACES DESPITE ALL CITY FATHERS' EFFORTS

Budget Committee Can Find No Way To Balance Honolulu Finances

MAY CUT ROAD WORK AND SALARIES OF EMPLOYEES

Even So There Would Be Shortage At End of Fiscal Period

Not all the calculating the finance committee of the board of supervisors has been able to do has developed any plan for running the city government to the end of the year without having a deficit on December 31. With road work entirely stopped and with the courts practically suspended on account of lack of funds, the municipality appears to be likely to come out with a shortage of \$30,000 or more at the end of the year.

The problem before the board, which will meet to take matter up next Tuesday night, is where to make cuts in expenses and avoid this deficit. The statute, contains very definite prohibitions against supervisors exceeding revenue in expenditures, including a criminal penalty for doing so. The finance committee of the board, which is working on a budget to be presented next Tuesday, consists of Daniel Logan, chairman, F. M. Hatch and Ben Hollinger.

At present the road work expenditures are only about \$6,000 a month. The proposition of cutting them out entirely is being considered, so that during the six months following the next budget period, which begins July 15, Honolulu may be compelled to get along without any road work at all.

It is anticipated that there will be a good deal of salary cutting recommended by the committee, when it presents its budget, and this is worrying those city employees who hold jobs by appointment, more than anything else. The salaries of the elective officers are fixed by statute, and the supervisors cannot change those salaries. But they can cut the wages of many of their own appointees, and it seems quite likely that they will do so.

Dead End Threatens
But when all the cuts that have been considered so far are made, it is said, there will still be a deficit in sight for the end of the year. It will not be as big as it might have been, for the receipts have been larger than was expected, owing to a rise in assessments.

COLONEL PERKINS WEDS MRS. STELLA WOODRUFF

Widow of Army Doctor Bride of Marine Corps Officer

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
SEATTLE, June 17.—Mrs. Stella N. Woodruff, widow of Lieut. Col. Woodruff, formerly of the United States army medical corps, became the bride of Col. Constantine Perkins of the United States Marine Corps here last night.

Colonel Perkins is stationed at the Bremerton navy yard, where he was assigned to duty, following his restoration to the active list of the corps, after his retirement, some years ago.

FRENCH CHAMBER HOLDING SERIES OF SECRET SESSIONS

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
PARIS, June 17.—For the first time since the outbreak of the war the French chamber of deputies are holding a series of secret sessions. It is reported that the intention of the sessions is to discuss freely the conduct of the war, and particularly the defensive measures which were taken at the beginning of the battle of Verdun. It is understood that the sessions will last several days. The first was held yesterday.

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BRITISH CLAIMING MESOPOTAMIA GAIN

London Flatly Denies Report of Repulse By Turks On Tigris

The British war officials last night flatly contradicted reports sent out by Constantinople, claiming that the British had suffered another reverse south of Kut-el-Amara, in Mesopotamia. In contradistinction to this local official denial, that reports from General Sir George Gorringe show that the British forces have been making marked gains in that theater of the war.

The Allies in German East Africa are rapidly ousting the Germans from the last of the Kaiser's colonies, according to despatches from that part of the world last night. The last few days, it is asserted, have been marked by fresh gains of the columns operating under General Smuts, the British colonial forces having occupied two important villages and near the coast have taken the town of Korogwe. They have also seized Teuton positions in the Victoria Nyanza sector.

LEADERS WORKING ON NEW HARMONY PLANS

Perkins Hopes For Speedy Restoration of Good Feeling

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
NEW YORK, June 17.—George W. Perkins, chairman of the Progressive national committee, after a series of conferences with Colonel Roosevelt and Governor Whitman, of New York, announced last night that all "possible is being done to restore good feeling between the Republicans and the Progressives."

Mr. Perkins would give no details of the plans that are being contemplated by the parties. It is understood, however, that Governor Whitman and former Justice Hughes, held a long conference yesterday at which the situation was discussed.

It is reported here that there is likelihood of a statement from Mr. Hughes being made public within a few days.

FIVE DEAD TOTAL VICTIMS OF WRECK

Former Honolulu Among Survivors of Coastwise Steamer

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
SAN FRANCISCO, June 17.—The number of known dead from the steamer Bear remains today at five, which is believed to be all the victims. The steamer, hanging on the rocks fifteen miles south of Eureka, is being lightened in the hope of floating her. The survivors reached San Francisco on a special train last night.

One of the survivors who left Eureka yesterday was J. V. Gentry formerly employed at The Alexander Young Hotel in Honolulu. He has been living here for some time.

ATTACK OF INDIGESTION KILLS MAINE SENATOR

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
AUGUSTA, Maine, June 17.—Senator Edwin C. Burleigh, junior senator from this state, died at his home here last night from a severe attack of intestinal indigestion, from which he had been suffering for some time.

Senator Burleigh was born November 27, 1843, in Lincoln, Maine, and was educated in the public schools of the state. He taught school and studied law. Illness prevented him from enlisting in the Union army at the outbreak of the Civil War, but he served in the adjutant general's department, and later held several state offices.

In 1885 he was elected governor of the state, and later elected representative from his district. In 1913 he was elected United States senator.

CLOSED SHOP ON DOCKS IS BASIS OF AGREEMENT

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
SAN FRANCISCO, June 16.—Late this afternoon the striking longshoremen agreed to return to work in the California Hawaiian refinery employ at Crockett, the basis of the agreement being the "open shop" in the warehouse and the "closed shop" on the docks.

A big fight took place on the Oakland waterfront this morning between union and non-union stevedores.

AVIATOR HURT IN FALL

(Special Cablegram to Nippon Jiji.)
TOKYO, June 17.—The American aviator Art Smith, was injured by a fall from a height of five hundred feet, yesterday. The fall occurred near Sapporo, in the north of Japan during an exhibition flight. Something went wrong with the motor of Art Smith's machine, and it fell to the ground. Smith's right leg was broken, and he was unconscious for an hour after his fall. It will be some weeks before he can leave the hospital, and he may never be able to recover entirely the use of his right leg.

RUSS STEAM ROLLER GOES ON DESPITE TEUTON FOE

Fresh Reports From Petrograd Add To Volume of Booty and Numbers of Prisoners Taken in Great Westward Drive

BERLIN AND VIENNA SAY SLAV OFFENSIVE CHECKED

Paris Official Statements Reiterate Report of Successful Attack On German Trenches At Bloody Le Mort Homme Hill

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

LONDON, June 17.—No slackening in the despatches from the western war front, received here last night. Petrograd continues to claim advances of an important nature, and reports from that city keep adding to the number of prisoners taken in the drive. Yesterday's early reports declared that 14,000 had been captured, and last night it was officially reported that "6000 prisoners have been captured northwest of Buzacek, where the Russians are encountering the Austrians aided by the Germans."

Tentons Claim Success
In describing the fighting on the eastern front the Germans again lay claim to having halted the Russian drive, saying that General Bothmer's armies, in the vicinity of Przeczka had repulsed several Slav attacks, which were made in "thick waves." This despatch adds that the situation is unchanged.

On the other hand the Moscow accounts of the fighting are fairly jubilant. They declare that in the Volzhyn, Galicia and the Bucovina districts the battle is all in their favor.

From the Pripiet marshes where the great steam roller started rolling this time, south to Czernowitz, the forces under General Brusilov, are reported to be meeting the counter attacks of the enemy, throwing them back and forging ahead with a steady stride.

Gain West of Lutsk
There has evidently been some fierce fighting in the front west of Lutsk, and Petrograd says in latest despatches that further successes have been added to their string of victories.

So also in the region northwest of Buzacek, where large reinforcements have been sent by Germany to assist the Austrians. Apparently this has been in vain so far, for the Russians have continued to gain ground there, taking prisoners and large stores of munitions of war.

That neither Berlin nor Vienna are underestimating the seriousness of the present Russian drive, is shown by the fact that from the extreme north of the seven hundred mile line on the east, down almost to the Bucovina frontier, the Teutons are launching desperate counterattacks against the western moving Russians.

In some cases Petrograd admits that these have been locally successful, but claims that as a whole the advance of her armies has been unimpeded to date.

Fresh Czernowitz Reports
Additional claims that Czernowitz has fallen into the hands of the Slavs, or is about to fall, are being made by the Russians. Yesterday official despatches from Petrograd declared that the Austrians under the pressure of the Russian advance, had abandoned the town, after destroying all the rolling stock of the railroads, tearing up or damaging the tracks about the city and in other ways lessening the value of the place to Russia.

Upon the western front the fighting during the last twenty-four hours has been of but minor importance, according to last night's official Paris communication. This asserted that the armies around Verdun let the day pass without serious infantry attack, indulging only in intermittent shelling of the enemies' positions.

Le Mort Homme Success

Paris, however, adds that it now has confirmation of the report sent out of that city Thursday night, announcing that the French attack upon the southern slopes of Le Mort Homme had been successful. This attack, which was preceded by the customary bombardment, was carried out largely with the bayonet, and netted the French German held trenches extending over a front of more than two-thirds of a mile.

Berlin reports that two French attacks upon the southern slope of Dead Man's Hill were unsuccessful. At first the French gained but later a counter-attack drove them back.

The Paris reports say German attacks were made in force southeast of Thiaumont farm but were broken down. An attack was made on the right bank of the Meuse to Hill 320 and also south of Callette, but both were repulsed. The Germans retired, leaving piles of corpses.

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